

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE</b></p>	<i>Application Number</i>	New Application
	<i>Filing Date</i>	Herewith
	<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Florent CIPRIANI
	<i>Group Art Unit</i>	Unassigned
	<i>Examiner Name</i>	Unassigned
	<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	2923-496-DIV
<i>Title of the Invention:</i> <b>DEVICE FOR THE PRECISION ROTATION OF SAMPLES</b>		

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.